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Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission Completes Last Week of Listening Session

Deliberation Dates set for December

Phoenix, AZ - Arizona's Independent Redistricting Commission will complete its final week of listening to in-person comments and virtual town halls the week of December 4, 2021. The schedule is on the following link: [draft maps public hearings](#). With only six in-person meetings and one virtual town hall meeting left, the Commissioners are anticipating high numbers of attendance at each of the sessions. The participation has been extremely high over the past three weeks of commenting sessions, registering well over 50 speakers at a couple of sessions, in Cottonwood and 82 speakers in Prescott Valley. In addition, receipt of online comments and map submissions has been at an all-time high as members of the public become familiar with using the mapping tools. The commission implemented a Mapping Monday with Mark, a virtual Q & A session to help address the use of the mapping tool. Members of the public can look up what congressional district they are in by typing their address into the following link: [Congressional District lookup](#), and if they would like to look up what legislative district they are in that can be done on this link: [Legislative District lookup](#).

Final decision-making meetings on the Congressional and Legislative district maps have been set for Dec. 6, 9, 16, 17, 20, 21 and 22, 2021. The five-member Commission will have seven days of deliberation on the map redrawing taking into considerations the six criteria outlined in the Arizona Constitution [Arizona proposition 106](#), over 2,000 public comments received online, in person, virtually and emailed; in addition to the receipt 198 map submitted through the mapping tool, this number does not included maps on paper submitted to the Commissioners. Times and location(s) for the final decision-making meetings can be found on the following link: [final decision meetings \(December\)](#).

Members of the public are reminded of various ways to submit comments.

- ❖ The adopted draft maps are posted to [adopted congressional draft map](#) and [adopted legislative draft maps](#). There are numerous ways individuals can provide input on these maps:
 1. Attend in-person meetings to provide comments: [draft map hearings \(Nov. to Dec\) schedule](#).
 2. Provide online feedback:
 - a. [provide feedback on draft congressional maps](#).
 - b. [provide feedback on draft legislative maps](#).
 3. Provide comments from the IRC website "Contact Us" [contact us](#).
 4. Email us at ircadmin@azdoa.gov

LISTENING TOUR

Congressional and State Legislative Districts are Changing.

The Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission is drawing the new district boundaries and those changes may affect you.

Share your thoughts and ideas.

Join us at the public meetings held through December 4, 2021.

Visit us at irc.az.gov/public-meetings or scan QR Code below for meeting schedule.



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UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- Mapping Mondays with Mark - Only one session left 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. - Monday, Nov. 29, watch on YouTube live: <https://youtu.be/NZ-ELVKhKjw> . An additional link to participate is posted to: [draft map hearings \(Nov. to Dec\) schedule](#).
- Tuesday Nov. 30, 8:00 am Regular Business meeting. YouTube link: <https://youtu.be/88HhrS72oQQ> Public comments for 11.30.21 meeting: <https://forms.gle/a3MLSXRwZMEFmFdEa6>

Meetings regarding adopted draft maps

Date/Time/location	Live Watch	MEETING DOC & Public Comment Link(s)
Tues Nov 30 - 6:00pm Main Location: Avondale City Council Chambers 11465 West Civic Center Drive Avondale, AZ Satellite Location:	Click on the link to watch virtually at: WebEx Live Event number: 2451 378 1053 Event password: GFhthyqS939 (43484977 from phones) Join by phone	Agenda AZ Redistricting Hub Comment on Draft Legislative Maps Comment on Draft Congressional Maps Public Map Submissions

<p>Hondah Casino Conf. Center 777 AZ-260, Pinetop, AZ 85935 125 Capacity masks mandatory</p>	<p>+14043971516 US Toll 8773093457 US Toll Free Access code: 245 137 81053</p>	
<p>Wed Dec 1 - 6:00pm Main Location: Mazatzal Casino Highway 87, Mile Marker 251 Payson, AZ 85541 Masks mandatory</p> <p>Satellite Location: Navajo Nation Staff Training Center Morgan Blvd. Bldg. #2740 Window Rock, AZ 86515 Masks mandatory</p>	<p>Click on the link to watch virtually at: WebEx live Event number: 2452 951 6820 Event password: Ri5WuFVPQ35 (74598387 from phones) Join by phone +14043971516 US Toll 8773093457 US Toll Free Access code: 245 295 16820</p>	<p>Agenda AZ Redistricting Hub Comment on Draft Legislative Maps Comment on Draft Congressional Maps Public Map Submissions</p>
<p>Fri. Dec 3 12:00pm to 1:00pm Virtual Town Hall Maricopa County</p>	<p>Join from the event link Pre Register Event number (access code): 2452 917 2820 Event password: aXNFZp7vn76 (29639778 from phones) Panelist password: DPkfff3Cy24 (37583332 from phones and video systems) Tap to join from a mobile device (attendees only) +14043971516,,24529172820#2963 9778# US Toll 8773093457,,24529172820#2963977 8# US Toll Free</p> <p>Join by phone +14043971516 US Toll 8773093457 US Toll Free Global call-in numbers Toll-free calling restrictions</p> <p>YouTube Link: https://youtu.be/s5iaAYxi8ug</p>	<p>Agenda AZ Redistricting Hub Comment on Draft Legislative Maps Comment on Draft Congressional Maps Public Map Submissions</p>
<p>Sat. Dec 4 10:00 am Main Location: Four Points by Sheraton Tucson Airport 7060 S Tucson Blvd, Tucson, AZ 85756</p> <p>Satellite Location: Maryvale Community Center 4420 N. 51st Ave Phoenix, AZ</p>	<p>Click on the link to watch virtually at: WebEx live Event number: 2464 874 6577 Event password: iFmrknWm455 (43675696 from phones) Join by phone +14043971516 US Toll 8773093457 US Toll Free Access code: 246 487 46577</p>	<p>Agenda AZ Redistricting Hub Comment on Draft Legislative Maps Comment on Draft Congressional Maps Public Map Submissions</p>

- Final Decision Meetings: Dec. 6, 9, 16, 17, 20, 21, and 22, 2021 for additional information: [Final decision meetings December.](#)

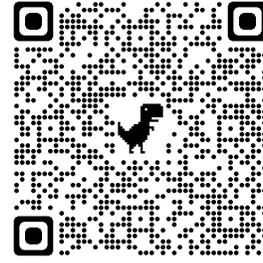
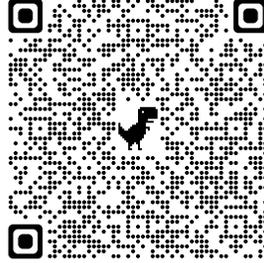
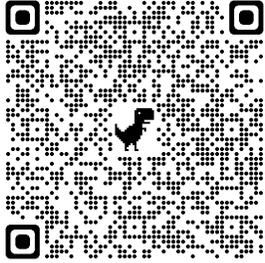
ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Access the Adopted Legislative Draft Map:

Open Plan:

Provide Feedback:

LD Lookup:

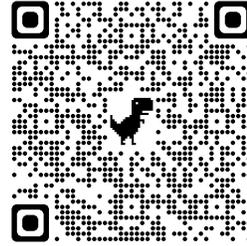
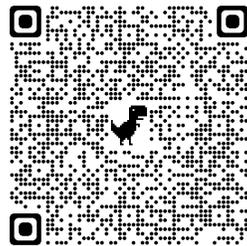
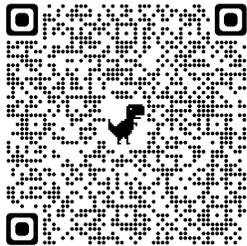


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Scan the QR Codes



We hope you were all blessed with a wonderful holiday.

IRC MISSION: *The Independent Redistricting Commission's mission is to redraw Arizona's congressional and legislative districts to reflect the results of the most recent census. The concept of one-person, one-vote dictates that districts should be roughly equal in population. Other factors to be considered are the federal Voting Rights Act, district shape, geographical features, respect for communities of interest and potential competitiveness. The state Constitution requires the commissioners – two Republicans, two Democrats and an independent chairperson – to start from scratch rather than redraw existing districts.*

A new Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission was appointed in January 2021 to adopt new congressional and legislative districts for Arizona.



Read more on our website: <https://irc.az.gov/>

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